

## **Detail Pages: Historic Properties**

In this brief explanation, we're going to take a look at what makes up a detail page for **Historic Properties** in SCHPR. A **detail page** is any page on this website that gives in depth information about records or digitized material.

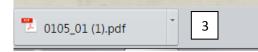
In this first screenshot, we can see the basic layout of a Historic Properties detail page. We'll go through each item and function below.

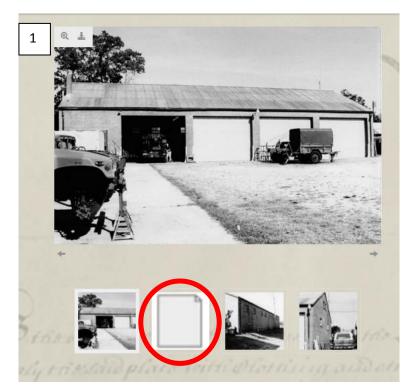


First, our page is divided into two portions: information on an object and any digital content associated with that information. Digital content in the column on the left usually includes one to four pictures of the historic property as well as a PDF document for the historic property survey form.

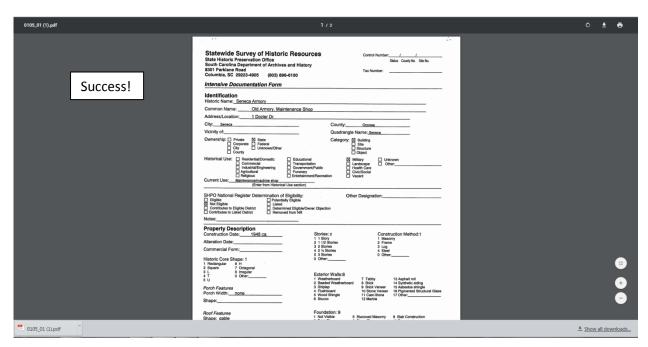
At the moment, we are unable to display the PDFs, but they are available to download. Follow the instructions below to access a PDF.

- Click on the "document" thumbnail in the line of thumbnails below the main image – circled in red.
- Hover over your main image (now an enlarged version of the document thumbnail. In the upper left hand corner of the image, you will see two icons: a magnifying glass (underlined in blue) and a download button (underlined in red). Click the download button.
- 3. If you are using Google Chrome as your browser, the download will appear in the bottom part of your browser screen. Other browsers may be a little different, but regardless, your download will be available. Simply click on the downloaded file to view it! Downloading images works in the same way.









Now, let's explore the information on the right hand side of the detail page. There are three areas of information: leading information (1), main information (2), and related information (3).



The top of the column with the leading information contains three fields: the property's historic name (Seneca Armory), the record type (Historic Property), and the property's alternate or common name (Old Armory, Maintenance Shop).

The middle portion of the column contains the majority of the information on a historic property (main information). It includes a number of fields that are collected on historic property survey forms or created by the SHPO once received. Note that if a field was not filled out on the original survey form, it will not be represented here. On the next page, we'll go through the fields on this area of the page in detail.

The bottom portion of the column is devoted to related information. Most of the time, this will include a list of related places. The county (Oconee) is listed first and then city/town (Seneca). You may click

SITE NUMBER: 105.01 DATE SURVEYED: November 1 2000 CATEGORY: Building CONSTRUCTION DATE: circa 1948 HISTORIC USE: Defense CURRENT USE Defense HISTORIC CORE SHAPE Rectangular NUMBER OF STORIES 1 1/2 CONSTRUCTION METHOD: EXTERIOR WALLS MATERIALS: FOUNDATION MATERIALS: Slab Construction ROOF SHAPE: Gable ROOF MATERIALS: Corrugated asbestos NATIONAL REGISTER DETERMINATION not eligible SIGNFICANT ARCHITECTURAL FEATUERS: Four large vehicle bay doors, all windows are two-over-two metal casement with a six-over-six metal overlay. Six windows on west elevation, nine on rear elevation, and two windows on east elevation. Brick chimney stack. ALTERATIONS: Hole cut for air conditioner in east elevation. HISTORICAL INFORMATION: 14 April 1947, no facility available; land deeded from town of Seneca to State of South Carolina in fee simple. A concrete strong room and supply room was to be constructed within two weeks (now the Blue Block Building) until a larger armory could be completed at the site (this building). Property to be surrounded by cyclone fence and have storage room before any vehicles are delivered to the unit. SOURCE OF HISTORICAL INFORMATION: Memo from SC Military Department in the unit history file, Seneca Armory STREET ADDRESS: 1 Dozier Dr., Seneca, SC QUADRANGLE NAME: Seneca

on either of these place links to be taken to a page that will give you a list of all the National Register Listings in those locations.

Ok, let's go through the information fields in the body of the detail page.

**Site Number**: A number assigned to the

property by SHPO staff.

Date Surveyed: The date the property was

recorded.

**Category**: the type of historic property.

Includes: site, building, object, and structure.

Construction Date: Date built.

Historic Use: From a list of provided uses, the

original use of the property.

**Current Use:** From a list of provided uses, the current use of the property, at the time it was

recorded.

**Historic Core Shape:** The original core shape of

the property. Includes: H, L, T, U, Irregular, Octagonal, Rectangular, and Square.

**Number of Stories:** The number of stories to

the property.

Construction Method: From a list of

construction methods.

**Exterior Walls Materials:** From a list of materials, the primary materials used to

construct the exterior walls.

**Foundation Materials:** From a list of materials, the primary materials used to construct the

foundation – as apparent to the surveyor.

**Roof Shape:** The shape of the roof as

determined by the surveyor.

**Roof Materials:** Primary materials used to roof

the property.

**National Register Determination:** 

Determination of the SHPO staff as to the eligibility of the property for the National

Register of Historic Places.

Significant Architectural Features: Includes

any important or relevant information about the structure of the property that is not included in any of the previous fields.

**Alterations:** Any changes made to the property since its original construction.

**Historical Information:** Information about the past of the property. Can include ties to specific people or events.

**Source of Historical Information:** A citation for where the information was obtained. This may be official records or a property owner.

**Street Address:** If relevant and available, the street address of the property.

Quadrangle Name: The name of the U.S.G.S. map quadrangle where the property is located.

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Slab Construction

ROOF SHAPE:

Gable

ROOF MATERIALS:

Corrugated asbestos

NATIONAL REGISTER DETERMINATION:

not eligible

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